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## Social and Personal

The third dance given by the Richmond German Club will take place this evening in the ballroom of the Richmond Hotel. The Monday Germans are always the principal society events of each season here, and a great many visitors come to Richmond to attend the dances. The patronesses for the evening to-night include Mrs. R. Carter Scott, Mrs. Charles V. Carrington, Mrs. J. H. Hill, Mrs. William H. Palmer, Jr., Mrs. John Skelton Williams, Mrs. Charles E. Wortham, Jr., Mrs. J. Jordan Leake, Mrs. Robert G. Leigh, Jr., Mrs. Archibald J. Battle and Mrs. J. H. Chamberlayne.

The German, which will begin promptly at half-after 8 o'clock and will be stopped at 12:30, will be led by William H. Palmer, Jr.

A seated supper will be served in the main dining-room of the hotel at 11 o'clock.

**Invitations Out.**  
Mr. and Mrs. Manfred Call have issued invitations for the marriage of their daughter, Elizabeth, to James Harry Alexander, the ceremony to take place on Thursday evening, January 23, at half-after 6 o'clock, in the Second Presbyterian Church here.

Mr. Alexander and his bride will be at home after March 1 at 118 Juniper Street, Atlanta, Ga.

**Children's Party.**  
A lovely affair given last week for the younger girls and boys of society took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Adkins, 524 Park Avenue, on Friday night, when their children, Frederick Adkins and little Miss Maria Adkins, entertained about fifty of their friends. Miss Empele Flanagan, of New York, who is visiting in Richmond several weeks, was the guest of honor. There was music and informal dancing, and a buffet supper was served at 11 o'clock in the dining-room. All the chandeliers were wound with garlands of running cedar and holly, and the mantels and doorways were decorated in red flowers and bright foliage. In the dining-room the table was arranged with a vase of red roses and poinsettias, and the candles were shaded in crimson and silver.

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after April 15 will reside at Gum Spring.

**Supper Last Week.**

W. L. Hendricks, of Dumbarton, gave a New Year's supper at his new home to his niece, Misses Ethel and Gertrude Lawrence, and also for his son, Lewis Hendricks. A number of guests from Richmond were present, and the house was decorated in holly.

**Important Meeting.**  
The annual meeting of the Junior Hollywood Memorial Association will be held on Tuesday morning, January 8, at 11 o'clock, in Lee Camp Hall. It is a meeting of much importance, as election of officers will be held and all other business transacted. All members are urged to be present.

**In and Out of Town.**  
Miss Mary Burnley Gwathmey, of "Burlington," who was operated on for appendicitis at the Retreat for the Sick here Friday, is slowly improving.

Miss Rhoda Dietrick, who has been visiting in Ashland, has returned to her home, and has as her guest, Miss Virginia F. Marshall.

W. T. Hamill, of Shadwell, is registered at the Grafton in Washington for a short stay.

Balford Scott leaves to-day for Baltimore, after spending the past two weeks here.

Mrs. T. P. Bryan and her children are returning to-day from Petersburg, where they have been the guests of relatives.

James Madison Macon has returned to Richmond, after spending the holiday season with relatives in Orange.

Mrs. Edgar M. Jett, of Brodnax, accompanied by her daughter, is visiting Mrs. W. T. Walker, of South Richmond.

Miss Avis Grant, who has been visiting in Lynchburg, will return to Richmond to-day.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank W. Jenks, of this city, have been recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ross Gillock, in Lexington.

Mr. and Mrs. Littleton Fitzgerald have returned to their home here, after a visit to relatives in Farmville.

Miss Elizabeth Morton, who has been spending some time in Newport News, has returned to the city.

Miss Christine Burns has returned to her home in Danville, after a short stay here.

Hugh Mercer has returned to Richmond, after spending the holidays with friends in Williamsburg.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Bruce Balfield, of this city, have been recent guests of relatives at Warsaw.

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Lewis and their children, of Richmond, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Bolling in Fredericksburg, have returned to the city.

Dr. Frank W. Upshur has returned to the city, after a visit to Winchester and Washington.

**WIFE CHARGES CRUELTY**

**Suit for Divorce Is Started Against**

**Aviator Beachey.**

San Francisco, January 5.—Lincoln Beachey, aviator of international reputation, yesterday was sued for divorce by his wife, Mrs. May Beachey. The complaint was placed on the secret file, and charges the husband with cruelty extending over many years. They were married at Detroit, Mich., in November, 1906.

Beachey's friends say he will make no contest, as nothing is said about alimony arrangements, which probably were negotiated outside of court.

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**REMAINS THOSE**

**OF VIRGINIA MAN**

Biggest Turner, of Gatewood.

Found Dead on Railway

Tracks in Maryland.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

Danville, Va., January 5.—There is little doubt that the remains of the man found dead on the Pennsylvania Railroad at Patuxent, Maryland, last Thursday are those of Biggest Turner, a farmer of Gatewood, whose whereabouts during the past week have been unknown.

Upon reading in the newspapers that the man found lacked his left hand and thumb and that he was found to possess a lady's small Swiss watch, Mrs. Lula Turner, wife of Biggest, wired the Washington authorities that the description fitted her husband.

To-day the local police received a picture of the dismembered head, found and it was recognized at once as being the face of Turner by a police officer. Mrs. Turner has not seen the picture.

Turner was thirty-two years old and had two children. He was a farmer until recently, when he turned horse trader.

**NEWS OF ASHLAND**

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

Ashland, Va., January 5.—Chas. H. Boschen has just returned from Baltimore, where he went to attend the great poultry exhibition. He was himself an exhibitor, and is very naturally elated over his remarkable success, as the show was a mammoth one, and he won second and third prizes in world-wide competition, including winners in the Crystal Palace Show, London, England, and other leading shows.

As shown on White Orlington hen and ten on Black Orlington hen.

Ashland has truly gained a more than national reputation for her poultry of the highest type of pure-bred poultry.

A beautifully appointed luncheon was given on Thursday by her daughter, Miss Blanche Cheney, and her guests, Misses Ernestine Jacobs and Katherine McKiever. The centerpiece was a costly, carved, Richmond roses.

Covers were laid for fifteen, which included Misses Ernestine Jacobs, Katherine McKiever, Elizabeth Cheney, Elise Cardwell, Nelly Sydney, Opheelia Nelson, Charles Hoots, Ella Tilly, Catherine Ella, Anne Mary, Alice Howison, Catherine Christian and Blanche Cheney.

Miss Cheney and her guests, Misses Sydney, Nelson and Ellis left Saturday to resume their studies at Randolph-Macon College, Lynchburg.

Mrs. B. B. Kennedy, of Fork Union, was the guest of the Misses Nixon on Friday.

On Wednesday and Thursday, January 1 and 2, was held at Randolph-Macon College the annual convention of the Sigma Upsilon Fraternity.

This is the second time the delegates to the Sigma Upsilon have assembled at Randolph-Macon. Since the founding of the fraternity in 1906, the college of the South, and has a bright future before it, as the only strictly literary fraternity in the United States.

Wednesday evening a smoker was given the visiting delegates in the home of Professor John Fisher. Those present were Dr. A. A. Kern, of Millsaps College, Mississippi; Mr. Carrington, of University of North Carolina; G. W. Follen, of Vanderbilt; Drs. R. E. Blackwell, E. H. Bowen, Graham Lang, J. H. McKee, W. E. McDaniel, A. C. Roy, and J. R. Fisher, H. G. Ellis, W. S. Long, F. M. Wray, J. R. Spann, M. C. Harrison, R. R. Devine, and R. M. Vetter, J. C. Guida, E. A. Burgess, of Randolph-Macon; J. R. Simpson, of Chattanooga, and R. C. Astrop, of University of Virginia.

Thursday morning in Washington Literary Hall, President Kern called the first business session, and again at 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon. Some very important business was transacted.

Reports were received from the active chapters and a charter was granted to the English Club of the University of Tennessee, and the University of Tennessee was adopted. A short-story contest was inaugurated, with a fraternity ring as the prize. Hereafter instead of an annual a bi-annual convention will be held.

Officers were elected as follows: President, Dr. A. A. Kern, of Millsaps; J. H. McKee, of Randolph-Macon; W. Follen, and treasurer, J. R. Spann.

Thursday night at the Henry Clay Inn the local chapter tendered a banquet to the convention. At the conclusion of the banquet, the delegates were responded to by Dr. R. H. Smith, of Carrington, R. C. Astrop, H. G. Ellis, J. H. McKee, R. E. Blackwell, and Dr. J. R. Fisher.

Masterman Kern declared the seventh annual convention adjourned.

**APPEALS TO WILSON**

A. B. Farwell Wants Mayor Harrison

Admonished.

Chicago, January 5.—Arthur Burrage Farwell, head of the Chicago Law and Order League, has written to Governor Woodrow Wilson in the hope that the latter may be able to exert some influence on Mayor Carter H. Harrison.

Mr. Farwell says he explained to Mr. Wilson that his success along reform lines with Mr. Harrison had been poor. He said he had pointed out to Mr. Wilson conditions of the New Year Eve "orgy" in Chicago, and had requested him to write to the Mayor as a Democrat and ask him not to neglect his duty.

**PRIMA DONNA ON STRIKE**

Mme. Caroline White Says Dippel

Works Her Too Hard.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

Chicago, January 5.—Mme. Caroline White, prima donna of the Chicago Grand Opera Company, who protested to the directors because Manager Arthur Dippel worked her too hard, went on strike yesterday, she withdrew from the cast which sang "Alba" at the Auditorium last night. She gave as her reason that her voice needed a rest after the operatic employment which it has received under Mr. Dippel's direction. Manager Dippel quickly substituted Enrico Caruso, a San Francisco girl, in the title role.

"I am too tired to sing," said Mme. White. "I am booked to sing at a concert on Sunday. My contract with the Chicago company is to end with the Sunday concert."

## Ruler Is Facing Death



Emperor Francis Joseph of Austria-Hungary, who is critically ill and likely to die.

## NUMEROUS BETS PAID

## AFTER MAN'S DEATH

Wagers Laid For and Against

Baronet Passing Century

Mark.

BY LA MARQUESE DE FONTENAY.

MUCH money changed hands on

Spaldington, at the age of nearly

years ago the fact was brought to

light that neither the British peerage,

nor yet its baronetage, had ever pro-

duced a centenarian. Sir Henry Vavasour was thereupon discovered to be

the very oldest baronet, and was found

to be so hale and vigorous that

numerous bets were made, not only

in his native county of Yorkshire, but

also in London clubland, that he would

safely pass the hundredth milestone.

Indeed, the wagers for and against

this probability assumed altogether

phenomenal proportions, and many of

the betters endeavored to protect them-

selves by taking out insurance at

Lloyd's, both against and in favor of

his dying before he reached the cen-

tury mark.

Now the betters and Lloyd have

been called upon to settle up, since the

old baronet has been gathered to his

ancestors, within a little more than

twelve months of the goal, his heirs

being becoming extinct. For he has

no male heir, and his estates pass to

his only daughter, wife of the Rev.

Alfred Hobart Hampden, rector of

Cottered, in Herts., and grandson of a

former Earl of Buckinghamshire.

Strictly speaking, Sir Henry was not

a Vavasour. Spaldington came into

the Vavasour family through the mar-

riage of John Vavasour to Isabel de

Hay, heiress of the De Hayes of

Spaldington. Their lineal descendant,

Thomas Vavasour, died at the end of

the seventeenth century without male

issue, leaving an only daughter, and

for the next hundred years Spalding-

ton passed through a succession of

male heirs, until at the end of the

eighteenth century Lieutenant-General

Henry Nooth, on his marriage to Anne

Yates, great-great-granddaughter of

Thomas Vavasour, obtained permission

of the crown to assume the name and

arms of Vavasour of Spaldington, and

was created a baronet.

The Vavasours of Spaldington were

at the best but a junior branch. The

parent stem, the Vavasours of Hazel-

wood, descended from that Mauger le

Vavasour, of Norman extraction, who

obtained from Henry I. the grant of

Hazelwood Castle, and of extensive

lands in Yorkshire, became extinct in

the male line through the death, un-

married, in 1826, of Thomas Vavasour,

of Hazelwood Castle. He devised his

estates to a cousin, the Honorable

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have been elevated to the peerage and it not been for this request to his son by old Josiah Vavasour, for the crown is very reluctant to bestow peerages upon those who cannot furnish a guarantee that not only they, but also their successors in the honors, will be able to maintain them in a fitting manner.

Everyone who has heard the inspiring strains of the famous Welsh march and song entitled "Men of Harlech," will be interested to learn of the impending marriage of the Hon. William Ormsby Gore, the eldest son and heir of Lord Harlech, to Lady Beatrice Cecil, daughter of the Marquis and Marchioness of Salisbury. Lord Harlech takes his title from the Merionethshire Harlech Castle, now in ruins, which was refortified by one of his ancestors for Henry VI. during the Wars of the Roses, and again for Charles I. by another maternal ancestor, a Colonel Owen, of Porthkerry, who was also Governor of Conway Castle for Charles I. The "March of the Men of Harlech," which may almost be regarded as the national anthem of Wales, dates from the first of these two sieges.

In the male line, Lord Harlech is descended from the same stock as the Earl of Arran, whence his name of Gore, which is the patronymic of Ormsby, comes to him through his grandmother, only daughter and heiress of Owen Ormsby, whose own mother in turn was the heiress of the Owens of Porthkerry, in Shropshire, descended from Hwfa Ap Cynddelw, it was the uncle of the present Lord Harlech, which was refortified by one of his ancestors for Henry VI. during the Wars of the Roses, and again for Charles I. by another maternal ancestor, a Colonel Owen, of Porthkerry, who was also Governor of Conway Castle for Charles I. The "March of the Men of Harlech," which may almost be regarded as the national anthem of Wales, dates from the first of these two sieges.

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